

As an Amateur Radio Operator, and user of the HF spectrum, I am wholeheartedly against PLC/BPL utilizing the HF frequencies in the US. I would encourage the FCC to disallow this service.

Preliminary studies and research indicate high probability of intense interference to other users of the HF spectrum. As a result of field testing, the country of Japan has concluded that PLC/BPL utilizing the HF frequencies is not suitable.

Amateur Radio is a valuable resource to the United States and its citizens, and I believe that communications that would take place over PLC/BPL would be better suited using other, means.

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